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# DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY HEADQUARTERS UNITED STATES ARMY FORCES COMMAND 1777 HARDEE AVENUE SW FORT MCPHERSON GEORGIA 30330-1062

REPLY TO ATTENTION OF

AFLG-PR (715)

7 Dec 99

#### MEMORANDUM FOR SEE DISTRIBUTION

SUBJECT: Redelegations of Authority for the FORSCOM Principal Assistant Responsible for Contracting (PARC), Directors of Contracting and Installation Commanders CIL 00-07

#### 1. Reference:

- a. Federal Acquisition Regulation.
- b. Defense Federal Acquisition Regulation Supplement.
- c. Army Federal Acquisition Regulation Supplement.
- d. Secretary of the Army Research, Development and Acquisition Delegations of Authority.
- 2. PARC, Acting PARC appointments, (encls 1a-1d) and reaffirmed previous delegations (encls 1e and 1-15) by General John W. Hendrix, new FORSCOM Commander, are forwarded for your files IAW references.
- 3. Please note that PARC and Acting PARC appointments (encls 1c and 1d) are not effective until 20 Dec 99.

4. For further information please call Alan Schantz, DSN 367-6227.

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TONI M. GAINES

Chief, Contracting Division, DCSLOG Principal Assistant Responsible

for Contracting



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## DELEGATION OF AUTHORITY AS PRINCIPAL ASSISTANT RESPONSIBLE FOR CONTRACTING

- 1. As Head of Contracting Activity for Forces Command, I designate Toni M. Gaines, 240-74-8443, Supervisory Procurement Analyst, as the Principal Assistant Responsible for Contracting (PARC). I delegate to her all my contracting authority except when approval by the Head of the Contracting Activity or a General Officer is mandatory.
- 2. This authority may not be further delegated.
- 3. Before acting upon matters considered to be of an important nature, the PARC will bring these concerns to my attention.

4. This delegation supersedes Delegation of Authority, Headquarters Forces Command, 25 January 1999.

JOHIWW. HENDRIX General, USA Commanding



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## DELEGATION OF AUTHORITY AS ACTING PRINCIPAL ASSISTANT RESPONSIBLE FOR CONTRACTING

- 1. As Head of Contracting Activity for Forces Command, I designate Beverly Y. Thomas, 265-94-7983, Procurement Analyst, as the Acting Principal Assistant Responsible for Contracting (PARC) in the absence of the U.S. Army Forces Command PARC.
- 2. The Acting PARC may perform any contracting function delegated to the PARC during the PARC's absence. Before acting upon matters considered to be of an important nature, the Acting PARC will bring these concerns to my attention.
- 3. This authority may not be further delegated.
- 4. This delegation supersedes Delegation of Authority, Headquarters Forces Command, 25 January 1999.

JOHN W. HENDRIX General, USA Commanding



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## DELEGATION OF AUTHORITY AS PRINCIPAL ASSISTANT RESPONSIBLE FOR CONTRACTING

- 1. As Head of Contracting Activity for Forces Command, I designate Colonel Charles John Guta, 283-52-8126, as the Principal Assistant Responsible for Contracting (PARC). I delegate to him all my contracting authority except when approval by the Head of the Contracting Activity or a General Officer is mandatory.
- 2. This authority may not be further delegated.
- 3. Before acting upon matters considered to be of an important nature, the PARC will bring these concerns to my attention.

4. This delegation supersedes Delegation of Authority, Headquarters Forces Command, dated 30 Nov 99 , and is effective 20 December 1999.

JOHN W. HENDRIX General, USA



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#### **DELEGATION OF AUTHORITY AS ACTING PRINCIPAL** ASSISTANT RESPONSIBLE FOR CONTRACTING

- 1. As Head of Contracting Activity for Forces Command, I designate Toni M. Gaines, 240-74-8443, Supervisory Procurement Analyst, as the Acting Principal Assistant Responsible for Contracting (PARC) in the absence of the U.S. Army Forces Command PARC.
- 2. The Acting PARC may perform any contracting function delegated to the PARC during the PARC's absence. Before acting upon matters considered to be of an important nature, the Acting PARC will bring these concerns to my attention.
- 3. This authority may not be further delegated.

4. This delegation supersedes Delegation of Authority, Headquarters Forces Command, dated 30 Nov 99 , and is effective 20 December 1999.



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Delegations of Authority for the FORSCOM Principal Assistant Responsible for Contracting (PARC), Directors of Contracting and Installation Commanders

#### 1. References:

- a. Federal Acquisition Regulation.
- b. Defense Federal Acquisition Regulation Supplement.
- c. Army Federal Acquisition Regulation Supplement.
- d. Secretary of the Army Research, Development and Acquisition Delegations of Authority.
- 2. In accordance with the foregoing references, I hereby reaffirm the following previous delegations (enclosed):
- a. Delegation of Authority to Decide Appeals on Rejection of Small Business Administration Recommendations.
- b. Delegation of Authority Pertaining to Contractual Adjustments, Mistake and Informal Commitment Cases.
  - c. Delegation of Authority to Lease Personal Property.
- d. Delegation of Initial Denial Authority (IDA) under the Freedom of Information of Act (FOIA).
  - e. Delegation of Authority to Ratify Unauthorized Commitments up to \$25,000.
- f. Delegation of Authority to Ratify Unauthorized Commitments up to \$100,000.
- g. Delegation of Authority to Approve Requests for Second or Subsequent Best and Final Offers.

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Delegations of Authority for the FORSCOM Principal Assistant Responsible for Contracting (PARC), Directors of Contracting and Installation Commanders

- h. Delegation of Authority to Appoint Source Selection Authorities in Formal Source Selection Activities.
- i. Delegation of Authority to Approve Contract Awards and Contracts for Expert, Consultant, and Stenographic Reporting Services.
  - j. Delegation of Authority to Appoint Government Flight Representative.
- k. Delegation of Authority to Approve the Publication of Advertisements, Notices or Proposals.
- I. Delegation to Approve Award of a Construction Contract to a Architect-Engineer Firm.
  - m. Delegation to Approve Substitution of New Surety Bonds.
  - n. Delegation of Authority to Award Protest Costs.
  - o. Delegation of Authority to Release Long Range Estimates.

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#### HEADQUARTERS UNITED STATES ARMY FORCES COMMAND 1777 HARDEE AVENUE SW FORT MCPHERSON GEORGIA 30330-1062

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15 June 1998

## DELEGATION OF AUTHORITY TO DECIDE APPEALS ON REJECTION OF SMALL BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION RECOMMENDATIONS

- 1. Pursuant to FAR 19.505(b), as Head of Contracting Activity, I hereby delegate to the Principal Assistant Responsible for Contracting (PARC) the authority to decide appeals by the Small Business Administration (SBA) when the contracting officer rejects an SBA recommendation.
- 2. This delegation is made without the power of redelegation. This delegation is effective immediately and will remain in effect until changed or rescinded.
- 3. Procedures prescribed in 19.505 of the FAR shall be used in actions taken pursuant to this authorization.
- 4. This delegation supersedes Delegation of Authority, HQ FORSCOM, dated 15 July 1996.

DAVID A. BRAMLETT



HEADQUARTERS, UNITED STATES ARMY FORCES COMMAND FORT MCPHERSON, GEORGIA 30330-6000

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DELEGATION OF AUTHORITY TO DENY REQUESTS FOR CONTRACTUAL ADJUSTMENT, TO APPROVE REQUESTS IN MISTAKE AND INFORMAL COMMITMENT CASES NOT IN EXCESS OF \$50,000 AND TO REFER REQUESTS TO THE ARMY CONTRACT ADJUSTMENT BOARD

- 1. Under Secretarial delegation of authority, SARDA 87-1, dated 10 March 1987, I hereby delegate to the FORSCOM Principal Assistant Responsible for Contracting:
- a. Authority to deny any request for contractual adjustment within the scope of Subpart 50.2 of the Federal Acquisition Regulation;
- b. Authority to make all determinations and findings required by the Act, Executive Order and Regulation, and to approve, authorize and direct appropriate action, in those cases set forth as examples within the categories of mistake and informal commitment in paragraphs 50.302-2 and 50.302-3 of the Federal Acquisition Regulation, subject to the limitations set forth in paragraph 50.203 thereof; and, where necessary to the exercise of this authority, authority to modify or release unaccrued obligations of any sort and to extend delivery and performance dates;
- c. Authority to refer to the Army Contract Adjustment Board any case in which he determines that an appropriate contractual adjustment is justified but does not, under subparagraph b above, have authority to make the adjustment; and
- d. Authority to refer to the Army Contract Adjustment Board for its determination, any doubtful or unusual cases under subparagraphs a or b above.
- 2. The foregoing delegations of authority shall not be redelegated.

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DELEGATION OF AUTHORITY TO DENY REQUESTS FOR CONTRACTUAL ADJUSTMENT, TO APPROVE REQUESTS IN MISTAKE AND INFORMAL COMMITMENT CASES NOT IN EXCESS OF \$50,000 AND TO REFER REQUESTS TO THE ARMY CONTRACT ADJUSTMENT BOARD

3. This delegation supersedes Delegation of Authority, Headquarters Forces Command, 3 August 1995.

DAVID A. BRAMLETT



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#### DELEGATION OF AUTHORITY TO LEASE PERSONAL PROPERTY

- 1. In accordance with authority vested in me by Delegation of Authority SARDA 84-4, dated 7 August 1984, I hereby delegate to the FORSCOM Principal Assistant Responsible for Contracting, without authority to redelegate further, the authority to lease personal property under control of the Department of the Army, not for the time needed for the public use, and not excess property (as defined by Title 40, United States Code, Section 472), which will promote the national defense or be in the public interest upon the terms stated in paragraph 2 below.
- 2. Each lease under this delegation:
  - a. May not be for more than five years;
- b. Shall permit the Secretary of the Army to revoke the lease at any time;
- c. Shall, with regard to all property subject to Part 45 of the Federal Acquisition Regulation and DOD FAR Supplement, be governed by the provisions thereof. With regard to all other personal property, each lease shall provide that the lessee will pay a fair monetary rental. Fair monetary rental shall be computed in accordance with sound commercial accounting practices for the fixing of rental on such property including a return on capital investment and administrative cost as well as depreciation. Single or multiple shift operations as proposed by the lessee will be considered in establishing fair monetary rental. The rental shall, in any event, be such as to prevent the lessee from obtaining an unfair competitive advantage over competitors by reason thereof;
- d. Shall provide that the lessee shall bear the expense of removing, packing, and shipping of the leased property and also the expenses of returning and reinstalling the property or processing it for extended storage upon expiration or termination of the lease;

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- e. Shall provide that the lessee will maintain the leased property in good operating condition and will return it upon the expiration or termination of the lease in as good condition as that existing at the commencement thereof, as subsequently improved, or as it should have been improved under the terms of tolerance limits. However, leases of railway equipment may provide for assumption of maintenance responsibility by the lessor, provided also that mileage earnings shall be retained by the Government;
- f. Shall provide that the lessee will make no changes or alterations in the leased property except with the consent of the Government;
- g. Shall provide that, if and to the extent that the leased property is later made taxable by state and local governments under an act of Congress, the lease shall be renegotiated; and
- h. Shall recite that it is executed under the authority of Title 10, United States Code, Section 2667.
- 3. Lease of personal property not conforming to the terms above shall, prior to execution, be submitted to the Assistant Secretary of the Army (Research, Development, and Acquisition) for approval.
- 4. This delegation supersedes Delegation of Authority, Headquarters Forces Command, 3 August 1995.

DAVID A. BRAMLETT



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DELEGATION OF INITIAL DENIAL AUTHORITY (IDA) UNDER THE FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT (FOIA)

- 1. Pursuant to the authority granted to Heads of Contracting Activities in delegation of authority SARDA-89-1, dated 28 August 1989, I hereby delegate to the Principal Assistant Responsible for Contracting (PARC) the authority to make initial determinations to deny the release of records that relate to procurements requested under the Freedom of Information Act (FOIA).
- 2. Initial denials under this authority should be processed in accordance with DOD 5400.7-R, DOD Freedom of Information Act Program (July 1989), AR 25-55, Release of The Department of the Army Freedom of Information Act Program, and Federal Acquisition Regulation 24.2, Freedom of Information Act, and shall be coordinated with the FORSCOM SJA prior to release.
- 3. This delegation supersedes Delegation of Authority, Headquarters Forces Command, 3 August 1995.

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### DELEGATION OF AUTHORITY TO RATIFY UNAUTHORIZED COMMITMENTS IN AMOUNT OF \$25,000 OR LESS

- 1. Based on FORSCOM's authority as a Reinvention Center, I delegate authority to approve ratifications of unauthorized commitments in the amount of \$25,000 or less to all FORSCOM Directors of Contracting and the Chief of the Army Atlanta Contracting Center. This authority may not be further redelegated.
- 2. Ratification actions taken under this delegation shall comply with Federal Acquisition Regulation, the Army Federal Acquisition Regulation Supplement, 1.602-3, and guidance issued by the FORSCOM Principal Assistant Responsible for Contracting.
- 3. This delegation supersedes Delegation of Authority, Headquarters, Forces Command, 8 March 1996.

DAVID A. BRAMLETT



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DELEGATION OF AUTHORITY TO RATIFY UNAUTHORIZED COMMITMENTS IN AMOUNT OF \$100,000 OR LESS

- 1. Based on FORSCOM's authority as a Reinvention Center, I delegate authority to the FORSCOM Principal Assistant Responsible for Contracting the authority to approve ratifications of unauthorized commitments in the amount of \$100,000 or less.
- 2. Ratification actions taken under this delegation shall comply with Federal Acquisition Regulation, the Army Federal Acquisition Regulation Supplement, 1.602-3. This authority may not be further redelegated.
- 3. This delegation supersedes Delegation of Authority, Headquarters, Forces Command, 8 March 1996.

DAVID A. BRAMLETT General, USA



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#### DELEGATION OF AUTHORITY TO APPROVE REQUESTS FOR SECOND OR SUBSEQUENT BEST AND FINAL OFFERS

- 1. As Head of Contracting Activity (HCA) for Headquarters, Forces Command, I hereby delegate to the Principal Assistant Responsible for Contracting (PARC) the authority to approve requests for second and subsequent best and final offers IAW Defense Federal Acquisition Regulation Supplement (DFARS) 215.611(c)(i)(B).
- 2. Proposed use of the delegation of authority shall be for all competitive negotiated acquisitions excluding those using formal source selection as specified in DFARS 215.611 (c)(i)(B).
- 3. This delegation supersedes Delegation of Authority, HQ, Forces Command, 3 August 1995, and will remain in effect until changed or rescinded.

DAVID A. BRAMLETT



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#### DELEGATION OF AUTHORITY TO APPOINT SOURCE SELECTION AUTHORITIES (SSA) IN FORMAL SOURCE SELECTION ACTIVITIES

- 1. As Head of Contracting Activity (HCA) Forces Command, I delegate authority to the Installation Commanders to make all selection activities within their chain of command.
- 2. This authority may not be further delegated.
- 3. This authority applies to all SSA apppointments other than the self appointment of the Installation Commander, which must be made by the Forces Command HCA.
- 4. Appointment actions shall comply with prescribed Federal, Department of Defense and Army Acquisition Regulations. All source selection appointments and source selection related documents should be marked "For Official Use Only Protective Markings Removed on Award of Contract."
- 5. This delegation supersedes Delegation of Authority, HQ, Forces Command, 3 August 1995.

DAVID A. BRAMLETT

General, USA



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DELEGATION OF AUTHORITY TO APPROVE CONTRACT AWARDS AND CONTRACTS FOR EXPERT, CONSULTANT AND STENOGRAPHIC REPORTING SERVICES

#### 1. DELEGATION

In accordance with authority vested in me by AFARS 37.104-90-2, I hereby delegate to the FORSCOM Principal Assistant Responsible for Contracting and to the Directors of Contracting at Forces Command installations authority to approve contract awards and contracts (including extensions, renewals and modifications thereof) for:

- a. Stenographic reporting services, when the services of qualified Government personnel are not available, and non-personal service contracts are not practical, in connection with:
- (i) Hearings in connection with agency Civil Service appeal and grievances, or with processing of employee complaints of discrimination under the equal opportunity program;
- (ii) Other administrative hearings for which verbatim records are required, either by regulation or by order of the board's appointing authority;
- b. Expert personal services of actors, narrators and other technical and professional personnel listed at enclosure, but (excluding organizations thereof) necessary in connection with stage, motion picture or television production.

#### 2. LIMITATIONS

- a. Contracting officers shall:
- (i) Award contracts for the services described in paragraph 1 in accordance with the procedures in the Federal Acquisition Regulation (FAR), the Department of Defense and Army FAR Supplements, and AR 5-14 regarding contracts for personal services;

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- (ii) Make a written determination that a non-personal services contract is impracticable before exercising the authorities delegated herein;
- (iii) Include in each contract file an approved Determination and Findings (D&F), or copy of a class D&F, as required by AFARS 37.104-90-2. In the case of a class D&F, also include a statement of applicability;
- (vi) Obtain legal counsel review of all proposed contract actions to be awarded under the authority of this delegation.
- b. The authority delegated under paragraph 1 shall not be further delegated.

#### 3. PERIOD OF DELEGATION

This delegation is effective through December 31, 1996, unless sooner terminated.

DAVID A. BRAMLETT



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### DELEGATION OF AUTHORITY TO APPOINT GOVERNMENT FLIGHT REPRESENTATIVE

- 1. Pursuant to the authority granted to Heads of Contracting Activities in AR 95-20, I hereby delegate to the Principal Assistant Responsible for Contracting (PARC) the authority to appoint Government Flight Representatives.
- 2. This authority may be redelegated no lower than to Chiefs of Contracting Offices.
- 3. Appointments of Government Flight Representatives under this delegation shall comply with AR 95-20.
- 4. This delegation supersedes Delegation of Authority, Headquarters Forces Command, 3 August 1995.

DAVID A. BRAMLETT



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18 Jul 97

DELEGATION OF AUTHORITY TO APPROVE THE PUBLICATION OF ADVERTISEMENTS, NOTICES OR PROPOSALS

#### 1. References:

- a. AFARS 5.502(a), 1 Aug 96.
- b. FORSCOM Reinvention Issue Number F00171, 1 Apr 97.
- 2. In accordance with authority vested in me as the FORSCOM Commanding General, I hereby waive the following verbiage in AFARS 5.502(a) "without authority to redelegate further."
- 3. Based on FORSCOM designation as a Reinvention Center and the authority to waive subject provision, I hereby redelegate authority to the FORSCOM Principal Assistant Responsible for Contracting, Garrison/Activity Commanders, and Installation Activity Directors to approve the publication of paid advertisements in newspapers, subject to the limitations in 44 United States Code 3701, 3702, and 3703.
- 4. Procedures prescribed in Subpart 5.5 of the Federal Acquisition Regulation (FAR), Subpart 205.5 of the DOD FAR Supplement, and Subpart 5.5 of the Army FAR Supplement shall be used in actions taken pursuant to this authorization.
- 5. This authorization shall become effective immediately and supersedes Delegation of Authority, HQ, Forces Command, dated 15 Jul 96.

DAVID A. BRAMLETT

General, USA



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DELEGATION OF AUTHORITY TO APPROVE AWARD OF A CONSTRUCTION CONTRACT TO ARCHITECT-ENGINEER FIRM

- 1. Pursuant to Army Federal Acquisition Supplement Regulation 36.209, as Head of Contracting Activity, I hereby delegate to the Principal Assistant Responsible for Contracting (PARC) the authority to approve award of a construction contract to the firm that designed the project.
- 2. This delegation is made without the power of redelegation. This delegation is effective immediately and will remain in effect until changed or rescinded.

DAVID A. BRAMLETT

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11 March 1998

## DELEGATION OF AUTHORITY TO APPROVE SUBSTITUTION OF NEW SURETY BONDS

- 1. Pursuant to Federal Acquisition Regulation (FAR) 28.106-2(a), as Head of Contracting Activity, I hereby delegate to the Principal Assistant Responsible for Contracting (PARC) the authority to approve the substitution of new surety bonds.
- 2. This delegation is made without the power of redelegation. This delegation is effective immediately and will remain in effect until changed or rescinded.

**DAVID A. BRAMLETT** 

#### HEADQUARTERS UNITED STATES ARMY FORCES COMMAND 1777 HARDEE AVENUE SW FORT MCPHERSON GEORGIA 30330-1062

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27 May 97

#### DELEGATION OF AUTHORITY TO AWARD PROTEST COSTS

- 1. As Head of Contracting Activity (HCA) Forces Command, I redelegate authority to the Principal Assistant Responsible for Contracting (PARC) to make agency head determinations for those actions described in Federal Acquisition Regulation (FAR) 33.102(b)(1) and(b)(2).
- 2. This delegation applies to both protests filed with the agency and protests filed with the General Accounting Office for which the Comptroller General has not made a decision.
- 3. Actions taken pursuant to this delegation of authority shall be consistent with 10 U.S.C. 2305(f), 31 U.S.C. 3554, and FAR Part 33.
- 4. Contracting officers shall attempt to reach an agreement on the amounts of costs to be paid to a protester or an interested party. If no agreement can be reached, delegees under this delegation may, at the request of the protester or an interested party, make the final agency determination of the amount the contracting officer will pay. Officials shall consult legal counsel in exercising this authority.
- 5. This delegation is effective immediately and is valid until specifically rescinded or superseded and may not be further redelegated.

DAVID A. BRAMLETT

General, USA

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14 May 1998

### DELEGATION OF AUTHORITY TO RELEASE LONG-RANGE ACQUISITION ESTIMATES

- 1. Pursuant to Army Federal Acquisition Regulation Supplement (AFARS) 5.404-1, as the Forces Command (FORSCOM) Head of the Contracting Activity (HCA), I hereby delegate to all FORSCOM Directors of Contracting and the Chief of the Army Atlanta Contracting Center the authority to release long-range acquisition estimates. This authority may not be further redelegated.
- 2. The information to be released shall follow the guidelines in the Federal Acquisition Regulation (FAR) part 5.404-1. The information to be released will be general in nature and include only information that shall assist prospective bidders/offerors in long-range business planning. Specific quantities or related details on final requirements, procurement sensitive information, and dollar amounts are NOT to be included in the documents released.
- 3. Nothing in the release shall risk granting any particular source an unfair competitive advantage in future acquisitions.
- 4. This delegation is effective immediately and will remain in effect until changed or rescinded.

DAVID A. BRAMLETT

General, USA